The Daily Courant.

Thurſday, January 9. 1707.

Hague, Jan. 7.

M. Palmquiſt, the Miniſter of Sweden here, has declar'd, That the King his Maſter will neither concern himſelf in the Affairs that gave Riſe to the preſent War between the Allies and France, nor ſo much as meddle in a Mediation for putting an End to this War. He has alſo declar'd, that all that has been reported concerning a ſecret Negociation of Peace with the Czar of *Muſcovy*, is without any Foundation; ſo far from it, that the King his Maſter bends all his Thoughts to the Proſecution of the Deſign he has form'd to take Satisfaction of the Czar, and in ſome Meaſure reimburſe himſelf the immenſe Charges he has been at in the War in Livonia and Poland. Theſe Aſſurances, joyn'd to the Advices the States have receiv'd from their Miniſters in Saxony and at Stockholm, make us confidently hope the King of Sweden has no Intentions to favour in any Manner the grand Enemy.

Their Miniſter in Saxony has acquainted the States, that King Auguſtus offers to put 10000 Men into the Service of the Allies, without demanding Levy-Money for them, (as is almoſt conſtantly the Way of the German Princes,) but only their Pay. The States, waiting for the Reſolution of the Court of England thereupon, have communicated this Offer to the ſeveral Provinces. A Letter is likewiſe communicated to thoſe Provinces, written by the Archbiſhop of Gneſna Primate of Poland, that is to ſay him whom King Auguſtus promoted to that Dignity: By which Letter that Prelate among other Things repreſents to the States, that by the Abdication of King Auguſtus the Throne of Poland is become vacant; Staniſlaus, who was elected by a handful of factious Perſons ſupported by the Swediſh Arms, being not acknowledg'd by the Republick. The Deſign of ſending a new Reinforcement of 6 Regiments from this Country to Portugal and Spain, will be put in Execution with all convenient Speed; and 'tis ſaid 12 Regiments are to be ſent from England: With this Reinforcement the States have reſolv'd to ſend Lieutenant General Spar, an experienc'd Officer in whom they have great Confidence: He ſerv'd in the Expedition to Cadix under the Duke of Ormond.

Hague, Jan. 11. The Letter from the Archbiſhop Primate of Poland, was preſented to the States by the Ambaſſador of the Czar of Muſcovy; with a Memorial of his own, in which he repreſents the Friendſhip and good Correſpondence that has always been between his Cariſh Majeſty as well as his Predeceſſors, and the States; and ſays, that to cultivate them, he hopes their High Mightineſſes will not acknowledge King Staniſlaus, ſeeing the Throne of Poland is vacant: He inſinuates, that the Czar is oblig'd to intereſt himſelf in what regards Poland, becauſe his Dominions border on that Kingdom, and that therefore the Security of his own Country obliges him to look to the Preſervation of ſo cloſe a Neighbour. 'Tis probable this Memorial will be referr'd to a Committee, and that no Anſwer will be return'd to it, no more than to the Letters of King Staniſlaus and of the Archbiſhop Primate. The Recruits for Spain ſail'd out of the Texel the 8th Inſtant, and the Wind having ſince been fair for them, 'tis preſum'd they are got into the Channel. Letters from Paris of the 7th tell us the Report continued at Court that General Medavi has Order to endeavour to make a Treaty for retiring with all his Troops: That thereupon the Envoy of the Duke of Parma ask'd M. Chamillard whether there was really ſuch a Deſign to abandon Italy as was reported; and that M. Chamillard made him no other Anſwer, than that there was no hindring People's talking. The King of France has granted the Surviverſhip of the Office of Secretary of State to the Son of M. Chamillard. The Father will direct all, but the Son is henceforward to ſign the Diſpatches: The Son is but 18 Years old.

Hague, Jan. 14. The 12th Inſtant late at Night, an Expreſs ſent by the Biſhop of Paderborn brought Letters to M. Itterſum, adviſing, that in the Congregation held at Rome the 23d paſt on the Affair of the Election to the Biſhoprick of *Munſter*, the Majority voted for confirming that of the Biſhop of Paderborn. Yeſterday the States were made acquainted with this good News, to their great Satisfaction. Yet the Emperour's and the Duke of Lorrain's Miniſters ſay the Matter is not decided: But the Miniſter of Trier, who pretends to be better skill'd than they in the Cuſtoms of the Court of Rome, ſays nothing is now wanting but the Preconization of the ſaid Biſhop in a Conſiſtory. The 12th the States receiv'd a Letter from the Emperour, acquainting them, that the Inveſtiture of the Dutchy of Milan was granted to King Charles of Spain; and the Duke de Moles is to take Poſſeſſion of it in his Name. This Letter was doubly welcome to their High *Mightineſſes*, for they were not only glad to find that a Difficulty was removed which had already given Diſquiet to the Duke of Savoy, and would have been a Stumbling-Block to all the Princes of Italy; but were more than ordinarily pleas'd with the obliging ſtyle of the Letter, his Imperial Majeſty telling them, that what he had done in this Affair was out of Deference to their Advice. The Buſineſs of *Munſter* being at the ſame time ſo near ending quietly, 'tis hop'd the good Intelligence that is ſo neceſſary between the Emperour and the States will be perfectly reſtor'd. Certain Advice being come of the Death of Prince Lewis of Baden, the Miniſter of Trier in a Conference Yeſterday with the States Deputies urg'd, that it would conduce very much to the Advantage of the common Cauſe ſhould Prince Eugene command on the Upper Rhine, the Duke of Savoy being ſufficient for Italy. This Project is extremely reliſh'd here, and if it takes, 'tis probable the 10000 Men which King Auguſtus has agen offer'd by his Miniſter here, will be taken into Pay and employ'd on that ſide. The 12th that Miniſter, by Order from the King his Maſter, notified in form to the Preſident of the Council of State for the Week, the Concluſion of a Peace with the King of Sweden,

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and desir'd the Guaranty of this State: And afterwards made the Envoy of Sweden a long Visit, which is the first that has pass'd between those Ministers since they have been here.

EDINBURGH.

Minutes of the Proceedings in Parliament, Thursday Jan. 2. Act for adjourning the Session (or Court of Justice) to the 4th of February next, approv'd and touch'd with the Royal Scepter by her Majesty's high Commissioner in the usual manner. Then the 19th Article of Union was again read, and after some reasoning on the 1st Clause of the said Article in relation to the Court of Session or College of Justice, a Motion was made for adding a Clause in these Terms, And that hereafter none shall be named by the Queen, or her Successors, to be Ordinary Lords of Session, but such who have serv'd in the College of Justice as Advocates or Principal Clarks of the Session for the space of 5 Years. And after some reasoning it was also moved, That Writers to the Signet should be added to the Advocates and Clarks. And after furder reasoning the Vote was stated, approve of the 1st Clause or Paragraph of the 19th Article, with the above additional Clause, or without it. But before Voteing it was agreed, that in case the Vote shall carry approve of the said 1st Paragraph of the said 19th Article with the additional Clause, it shall be intire to debate whether Writers to the Signet are to be added or not. And thereupon the said 1st Paragraph and additional Clause being read over, the Vote was put approve of the said 1st Paragraph with or without the Addition, and it carried with the Addition. And after debate whether Writers to the Signet shall be added or not, it was put to the Vote, add Writers to the Signet or not, and it carried add by 13. Whereupon it was moved that the Writers to the Signet shall be understood qualified by the same limitation of Time as Advocates and Clarks; and after debate thereon it was moved that the furder debate be adjourn'd till the next Sederunt of Parliament; And also moved to proceed now to the determination of the time for their qualification; and after reasoning the Vote was put proceed or delay, and carried delay. Then the Parliament was adjourn'd till to Morrow.

London, January 9.

Letters from Lisbon of the 5th of January N. S. which arriv'd Yesterday, advise, that the Fleet under Sir Cloudsly Shovell, with the Land Forces command by the Earl Rivers, continue still there. That some Days before, the Admiral sent out 3 of our Frigates to cruise, the Portugueze fir'd about 60 Shot at them from St. Julian's Fort and other Works, but the Frigates would not stop: And that the Admiral having demanded Satisfaction, the Lieutenant Governour of St. Julian's Fort is put under Confinement.

AT the Theatre Royal in Drury-Lane, this present Thursday, being the 9th of January, will be reviv'd a Play, call'd, Timon of Athens, or, The Man-hater. With several select Entertainments of Singing by Seigniora Margarita de la Pine, and Dancing by Monsieur du Ruel and others.

At the Desire of several Persons of Quality.

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